I hereby certify that this correspondence is being filed by First Class Mail to the Commissioner of Patents, Alexandria VA 22313-1450 Signature VIII ( Date signed: Signature Isabel R. Lincoln IN RE Application of: HI-RONAKA, Akihiro INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE: April 2, 2004 PRIORITY APPLICATION: PCT/JP04/04873 PRIORITY FILING DATE: April 3, 2003 SERIAL NO.: 10/551,835 FILING DATE: October 3, 2005 DOCKET NO.: GUA UTO 415 HELICALLY-TOOTHED-BELT TRANSMISSION DEVICE

## RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121)

**Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450

Dear Sirs:

FOR:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed January 16, 2007, Applicant encloses an amended copy of the Preliminary Amendment to fulfill the requirements of paragraph 1.C of the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment.